

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of    | Atty. Docket: NL 030488       |
| JIANLI SHI ET AL.       | CONF. NO.: 1359               |
| Serial No.: 10/553,919  | Examiner: JONATHAN C. LANGMAN |
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TITLE: COATING FOR A STEAM-GENERATING DEVICE

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of April 23, 2009 and the Advisory Action of July 13, 2009, please amend the above-identified application for consideration in a Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently with this Amendment and consider the remarks as follows: